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| In re Patent Application of | <ul> <li>Mail Stop AF</li> <li>Reply Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116</li> <li>Expedited Procedure</li> <li>Technology Center 1700</li> </ul> |
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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This reply is in response to the final Office Action dated August 9, 2006. A Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time is concurrently filed herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows